

IN RECOGNITION OF “KEEP AMERICA BEAUTIFUL, INC.”

WHEREAS, Keep America Beautiful, Inc., a national nonprofit organization dedicated to helping individuals improve their community environment, celebrates its 50th Anniversary in 2003 and has established the Great American Cleanup as its signature national effort for involving American citizens in environmental stewardship; and

WHEREAS, the City of Augusta is proud of its natural resources and its neighborhoods and seeks to protect and improve our community through the action of citizens, schools, government and businesses working together; and

WHEREAS, the President of the United States of America has recognized the important commitment to improve American communities through litter prevention, beautification and solid waste management initiatives and has assumed the title of Honorary Chair of Keep America Beautiful’s Great American Cleanup.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Bob Young, Mayor of the City of Augusta, do hereby proclaim the month of April 2003 to be “KEEP AUGUSTA BEAUTIFUL MONTH” in Augusta, Georgia and call upon our citizens to join in activities that promote responsible environmental stewardship and help us renew our commitment to building a better world today and for future generations.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of Augusta, Georgia to be affixed this 1st day of April 2003.